

News Release

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Skagit County physician suspended on failing to comply with a previous order

OLYMPIA -- The Medical Quality Assurance Commission immediately suspended the license of Mount Vernon physician Scott F. Mennella (MD00022793) pending further legal proceedings.

Charges state that Dr. Mennella committed unprofessional conduct by failing to comply with the requirement that he undergo a psychological evaluation stated in a previous order. Dr. Mennella cannot practice as a physician in Washington until the charges are resolved. He has 20 days to respond to the charges and request a hearing.

The legal documents on this case can be seen online by clicking the link to "Provider Credential Search" on the Department of Health website; copies can be requested by calling 360-236-4700. Anyone who believes a health care provider acted unprofessionally is encouraged to call that number to report their complaint.

The Medical Commission promotes patient safety and enhances the integrity of the profession through licensing, rule-making, discipline, and education. Learn more about the commission: <a href="https://doi.org/doi.o